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In re Application of:

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For: ULTRAVIOLET LIGHT STABILITY OF

MONOVINYLARENE-CONJUGATED DIENE COPOLYMER COMPOSITIONS CUSTOMER NO. 32223

AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION **DATED MARCH 15, 2005**

MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE 37 C.F.R. § 1.6(d)

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, facsimile number 1-703-872-9306, on this 2 day of June 2005. 2 day of June 2005.

This paper is submitted with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the aboveidentified application, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The RCE is filed in response to the final office action dated March 15, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply expiring on June 15, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated herein.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 and,

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 and,

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Director is hereby authorized charge any fees which may be required by this paper to Chevron Phillips Chemical, LP. Deposit Account No. 50-1629/210512US

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.